

## RETIRED ADMIRAL SEES NO PROTECTION BY ARMING SHIPS

REAR ADMIRAL FISKE, U. S. N.,  
SAYS DESIRED RESULT WILL  
NOT BE GAINED.

## AGREE ON NEW COLTURE RULE

Senators' Committee Agrees to Rule  
Making Limit of Debate  
Possible.

## SEES NO PROTECTION

(Associated Press)  
New York, Mich. 7.—According to  
Rear Admiral Fiske, U. S. N., retired,  
sea-going commerce of the United  
States can hope for no real protection  
by arming merchantmen.

## (Associated Press)

Washington, Mich. 7.—A definite im-  
pression that American merchantmen  
will be armed for defense in the near  
future gained ground today follow-  
ing conferences between President  
Wilson, administration officials and  
democratic senators.

At the same time prospects for an  
extra session of congress not later  
than June seemed strong, as a re-  
sult of hints thrown out by officials  
close to the president. The need of an  
extra session to pass the supply bills  
seems imperative.

## Discuss New Rules.

At the white house today the presi-  
dent discussed with the committee  
named by the senate democratic cau-  
cuses, the proposed changes in the  
senate rules to prevent unlimited de-  
bate and filibustering. According to  
a proposed rule a vote of two-thirds  
of the senators might limit the de-  
bate at any time. The proposed rule  
was drawn by a joint committee of  
democratic and republican senators  
in the form of a resolution to be pre-  
sented soon to a caucus of both  
houses.

## Put To Republicans.

After the conference on the cloture  
rule the democratic senators hurried  
to the capitol for a conference with  
the republican leaders and to lay be-  
fore them plans for a modified cloture  
rule which the democrats hope to  
bring before the senate tomorrow. All  
senators agreed that the prospects  
were good for quick action in the  
senate.

Although Wilson has been advised  
by some of the government experts  
that he has authority to arm ships  
without any action by congress, other  
advisors told him they believed it  
would be better to wait and see if the  
senate would act.

## Present Rule Today.

The democratic and republican  
joint cloture committee agreed at the  
conference to recommend to their par-  
ty caucuses later today a change of  
rules so that by a two-thirds vote of  
the senate, debate could be shut off  
and dilatory tactics could be prevent-  
ed. They slightly changed the word-  
ing of the resolution which was framed  
at their meeting last night.

Senator Walsh on the floor of the  
senate argued that the senate is not  
a continuing body but that each new  
senate was a separate entity and that  
therefore, it should enact its own  
rules without regard to existing rules.  
He concluded a long legal argument  
by declaring that general alarm per-  
vades the country regarding the prob-

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## Will Let Contracts For I. N. U. Steam Station Next Week

Northwestern Will Construct  
Spur To Handle All Material  
And Machinery

The contracts for the big central  
steam power station which the Illi-  
nois Northern Utilities company will  
erect on old Athletic park this sum-  
mer, will be let at the company's cen-  
tral office in this city next week. All  
contractors who anticipate bidding  
on any part of the big structure or  
its equipment have been notified that  
their proposals must be in by the  
coming week.

The plant will be erected as out-  
lined in the Telegraph some time ago  
and will, when completed, be one of  
the really "big" steam-electric plants  
of the state. Its capacity will be suf-  
ficient to carry the load of the I. N. U.  
company's big territory and it will be  
an institution of which Dixon may  
well be proud.

Arrangements have been made with  
the Northwestern Railroad company  
to run a switch spur from their belt  
line into the park for handling all of  
the building material and heavy boil-  
ers, generators and other machinery  
needed for the new station.

## NO CENSURE IN ILLINOIS

Resolution Condemning Filibuster  
Will Not Come Up.

## (Associated Press)

Springfield, Mich. 7.—House leaders  
today persuaded Rep. Kirby not to  
put before the house his resolution of  
condemnation of the 12 U. S. senators  
whose filibuster blocked the passage  
of the armed neutrality bill sought by  
President Wilson to meet the crisis.  
Speaker Shanahan and Minority Lead-  
er Igo agreed that the resolution  
would serve no other purpose than to  
take up the time of the legislature.

Des Moines, Ia., Mar. 7.—A hot fight  
is coming in the Iowa house and sen-  
ate over the concurrent resolution of-  
fered by Republican E. D. Hayburn of  
Pocahontas county, criticizing Senators  
Cummins and Kenyon for their stand  
against armed neutrality. Legislators  
interviewed are about equally di-  
vided.

Half of them are for the resolution  
and others say it is too severe. All are  
agreed that the legislature should  
again take action assuring the Presi-  
dent that Iowa stands for any meas-  
ure to protect the nation's rights or  
honor.

## LINER PROTECTED.

New York, Mich. 7.—The Cunard  
liner Carmania arrived from Liver-  
pool today equipped with a device for  
discharging dense clouds of smoke, a  
6-inch gun and three gunners.

## INSURANCE RATES UP.

(Associated Press)  
New York, Mich. 7.—Shipping in-  
surance rates advanced today, it is  
announced.

## WELCOME BREAK

(Associated Press)  
New York, Mich. 7.—The Associated  
Press correspondent at Tokio says  
the diplomatic rupture between the  
United States and Germany was en-  
thusiastically welcomed by all classes  
in Japan

## Supt Neighbour Tells Story Of Famous Old Trails Through Lee Co. And Dixon

(By Co. Supt. L. B. Neighbour)

## The Pioneer Trails.

All Illinois could not furnish a lo-  
cality with more interesting and his-  
toric trails than those of Lee county.  
They were surveyed, or gained recog-  
nition by travel, three-quarters of a  
century ago. Gone are now the first  
settlers, who made and used them. It  
is a question if among their descend-  
ants there are still numbered any  
whose memory goes back to the day  
of the ox-hauled "prairie schooner,"  
and of the "flying stage coach," that  
required "only 48 hours" for the trip  
from Dixon on east across the prair-  
ies to Chicago, or south to Peoria.

Along the same "cattering" lines  
first followed, or moved in a later day  
to the section lines nearest and most  
nearly parallel, these roads are many  
of them serving the needs of the pub-  
lic today. Others, tho, are little more  
than a memory. Here a diagonal road,  
showing on the map, further on an-  
other running in the same general  
course, indicates a line of old-time  
travel. Along it the pioneer galloped  
his riding pony or guided his ox-team.  
These roads led from one settlement  
or settler's cabin to the next, or to  
the mill, to the lead mines, or to the  
market.

Natural conditions determined the  
location both of the settler's cabin  
and his trail. He established his home  
in some grove. He built his mill  
where there was water-power. The  
trails were the connecting arteries.  
But these had also to be adapted to  
the lay of the land. Particularly they  
had to intersect the roughs and  
streams at the shallowest and firmest

## "WETS" WIN FIRST ROUND IN HOUSE

OUTVOTED "DRYS" IN GALES-  
BURG CONTEST 84 TO 56  
TODAY.

## BREWER AND CARPENTER DRY

Basil, Contesting Gallagher's Seat,  
Had Anti-Saloon League  
Backing.

## (Associated Press)

Springfield, Mich. 7.—The "wets"  
won in the first test of the wet and  
dry strength in the house today when  
by a vote of 84 to 56 the house  
tabled the minority report recommend-  
ing a recount of the votes in the  
Galesburg district wherein Basil, a  
dry, contested the election of Gallag-  
her, a wet.

Then by a vote of 88 to 14 the  
house adopted the majority report  
recommending that the contest be  
dismissed and Gallagher be seated.  
Both contestants are democrats, but  
Basil was backed by the Anti-Saloon  
League. The debate was bitter.

Of the 35th district members, Car-  
penter and Brewer voted against the  
tabling of the report of the minority  
committee.

## To Protect Anthem

Senator Kirby's bill to make it un-  
lawful to sing or play the Star Spang-  
led Banner in conjunction with any  
other song was advanced to third  
reading.

The senate also passed Curtis' bill  
to appropriate \$196,000 for emergen-  
cy expenses of the Illinois National  
Guard.

## GERMAN SPY FOUND IN NATIONAL GUARD

Letter Sent to Germany Gets  
Minnesota Prison Term.

St. Paul, Minn., Mar. 7.—Convicted  
of furnishing military information to  
Germany, Paul L. Scharfberg, St. Paul,  
private in company L, First In-  
fantry regiment, Minnesota national  
guard, is now a prisoner in the United  
States military prison at Fort Leaven-  
worth, Kansas, sentenced to a term of  
five years.

The sentence, hitherto withheld,  
was inflicted by a court martial of reg-  
ular army officers at San Antonio,  
Tex., Feb. 15.

A letter in German script, bearing  
Scharfberg's signature and address-  
ed to a woman in Germany, was inter-  
cepted by the British naval authori-  
ties in January. It was translated. Ac-  
cording to Minnesota guard officers,  
the letter referred to officers of the  
United States army as "cobblers."

It predicted that President Wilson  
would "soon be out of the way." It  
promised that "10,000,000 Germans  
in the United States" were "ready to  
rise up against the government" in  
case of war with Germany.

It said that the government had 100,  
000 men on the border, but that they  
"wouldn't stand up if put against an  
efficient force."

Guard officers said the letter was  
written after election and that a high-  
ly sinister construction was placed to  
the sentence predicting the President  
would "soon be out of the way."

## CAPITAL TO TAB WATCHMEN

Clock System to Be Installed for  
Workers at Statehouse.

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., Mar. 7.—  
Statehouse watchmen must be  
watched hereafter, Louis L. Emmers-  
on, secretary of state, announces. To  
insure their watchfulness the secre-  
tary has contracted for a clock system  
which will require that all watchmen  
"ring in" once every hour.

Only competent men will be employ-  
ed, Mr. Emmerson says. He considers  
their duties highly important, inas-  
much as the statehouse is filled with  
valuable papers and the capitol build-  
ing is far from fireproof.

## FORD CAR STOLEN.

A new 1917 five passenger Ford  
was stolen from the streets of Rock  
Island, Ill., last evening, according to  
information phoned to Commissioner  
of Police J. D. VanBibber today.  
The car bore an Illinois 1917, li-  
cense, No. 100212, when taken. The  
car was equipped with demountable  
rims and extra tire and rim on the  
left running board. A reward of \$25  
is offered for the recovery of the car.

## FIRE ALARM.

The fire department was called to  
the residence of Clarence Barton,  
1205 Sixth street, at 9 o'clock this  
morning when it was feared a defec-  
tive chimney had set fire to the siding  
of the house. A hole in the brick  
chimney allowed smoke to creep be-

## HAD OPERATION

The son of Mr. and Mrs. David  
Lenox underwent an operation at the  
hospital today.

Between the boards of the siding, but  
no blaze was discovered.

## ALL INVITED TO MEETING

Landlord-Tenant Conference Friday  
at Amboy is Free.

## YOUTH CAPTURED IN

LEE CO. IS ON TRIAL

RAPID PROGRESS IS BEING MADE  
IN TRIAL OF GUY O'BRIEN  
AT AURORA.

## TWO SUITS STARTED IN CIRCUIT COURT

DAMAGE AND DIVORCE CASES OF  
INTEREST TO PEOPLE OF  
LEE COUNTY.

Two suits of interest have been  
started in the Lee county circuit  
court for trial at the April term in  
the cases of E. J. Countryman vs.  
Floyd Maxwell and Mrs. Rebecca S.  
French vs. Wm. French, her husband.  
Mr. Countryman is suing for damages  
done his automobile in a collision on  
the Sterling-Dixon road last summer,  
which accident he alleges was Mr.  
Maxwell's fault.

Mrs. French, whose home is in Am-  
boy, asks divorce on the grounds of  
habitual drunkenness and non-sup-  
port. Her bill declares they were mar-  
ried in Amboy Oct. 14, 1913, and  
that since that time he has made her  
life unbearable because of his desire  
for drink.

## O'GORMAN "NOT FILIBUSTER"

Senator Explains Position as Regards  
Armed Neutrality Bill.

New York, Mar. 7.—Formal denial  
that he participated in the senate fil-  
buster to defeat the President's armed  
neutrality bill was issued by former  
United States Senator James A. O'Gor-  
man, who said he used no more than  
five minutes of the senate's time dur-  
ing the last three days of the session  
and never objected to a vote on the  
measure.

"I had no objection to such vessels  
being armed," his statement said.  
"My only objection was to the provi-  
sion that might be construed so as  
to afford them the protection of a bat-  
tle ship."

## ARKANSAS WOMEN GET VOTE

Governor Will Sign Primary Enfranchisement Bill Just Passed.

Little Rock, Ark., Mar. 7.—Women  
are assured of voting in primary elec-  
tions in Arkansas when the lower  
house concurred in senate amend-  
ments to a bill for that purpose.

Governor C. H. Brough has an-  
nounced he will sign the bill. Because  
of the Democratic supremacy the bill  
virtually means suffrage in all elec-  
tions.

## Takes Iowa Pastorate.

MARENGO, ILL., Mar. 7.—  
Rev. George W. Brown has resigned  
the pastorate of the First Presby-  
terian church and accepted a call from  
the First Presbyterian church of In-  
dependence, Ia.

## WOMAN ON STAND TODAY.

(Associated Press)  
London, Mich. 7.—Mrs. Alice Whel-  
don who, with her two daughters and  
son-in-law is on trial charged with  
conspiracy to murder Premier Lloyd  
George and Arthur Henderson, testi-  
fied today that the poison had been  
obtained to kill dogs. She admitted  
she sympathized with conscription ob-  
jectors and said she was attempting  
to assist three of these objectors, in-  
cluding her son, to escape from the  
camp where they were interned.

## CLAIM MUCH TONNAGE

(Associated Press)  
Berlin, Mich. 7.—German subma-  
rines, returning between March 1 and  
3, sunk an aggregate tonnage of 294,  
000, it is claimed.

## HOGS SET RECORD.

(Associated Press)  
Chicago, Mich. 7.—Hogs reached a  
top of \$15 today, the highest price  
ever paid in the history of the coun-  
try.

## MORE H. C. OF L.

(Associated Press)  
New York, Mich. 7.—Prices of can-  
ned fruits advanced today from 4 to  
9 cents retail.

## C. C. BAND REHEARSAL

The Chamber of Commerce band  
will meet for rehearsal this even-  
ing.

## THE WEATHER

Wednesday, Mich. 7, 1917.  
Unsettled and colder tonight and  
Thursday.

Sunday	... 31	11
Monday	... 23	7
Tuesday	... 29	12
Wednesday	... 19	28

## YOUTH CAPTURED IN LEE CO. IS ON TRIAL

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## INSANITY OR ACCIDENT, DEFENSE

State Looks For Insanity Plea, Ru-  
mors Says He Will Claim  
Mishap.

## (Special to Telegraph)

Aurora, Mich. 6.—Unexpected pro-  
gress was made today in getting a  
jury for the trial of Guy O'Brien in  
Kendall county circuit court at York-  
ville at 2:30 p. m., eight of the 12  
men who will try the young Helmar  
farmer for the shooting of Ida Torkel-  
son being accepted by both sides.  
All are farmers and most of them are  
middle aged or more.

The jury will be completed by the  
close of the afternoon session, law-  
yers said.

## Girl On Stand Today

Miss Torkelson will go on the stand  
tomorrow. It will be the first time she  
has told her story of the shooting and  
the events leading up to the breaking  
off.

The girl was in court with her  
mother this morning. They took seats  
outside the court rail, listening atten-  
tively to questions to the jurors. The  
young woman did not once look at  
O'Brien.

## Accidental or Insanity, Defense.

Atty. Aldrich and Lord of the firm  
of Aldrich & Worcester said the de-  
fense that would be offered was not  
definitely decided. They are waiting  
for the opening argument by attor-  
neys for the state. They did not ask  
questions of the jury which forecast  
possible defense of temporary in-  
sanity or accident.

Atty. Gursul of Aurora and States  
Attorney Burkhardt of Oswego who  
are in charge of the prosecution ex-  
pect that O'Brien will put in an in-  
sanity defense.

A story that gained credence today  
was O'Brien would claim he shot at  
Miss Torkelson's horse and that he  
missed his mark and shot the girl. He  
fired at the horse because he thought  
it was running away, according to the  
rumored defense. When he saw what  
had happened he was seized by panic  
and fled wildly, not knowing where  
he was going. He was captured in a  
corn field south of the village of Lee  
in Lee county a few days after the  
shooting.

The court room was crowded and  
will probably be packed tomorrow,  
when Miss Torkelson takes the stand.

## SUBLETTE FARMER DIED IN NIGHT

John Becker, Brother-in-Law of Mrs.  
Max Lett, Obsolete.

John Becker, a brother-in-law of  
Mrs. Max Lett of this city, passed  
away at his home a mile east of Sub-  
lette last night after a long illness.  
He leaves a wife and seven children  
and a number of brothers and sisters.  
Mr. Becker had many friends in Dix-  
on who will be saddened to hear of  
his death. Funeral services will be  
held at St. Mary's Catholic church at  
Sublette Friday morning at 9:30  
o'clock. Interment will be made in St.  
Mary's cemetery.

## COUNTY'S FIRST RAILROAD

Fluor Spar Mines Cause Tapping of  
Hardin at Rosclaire.

DUQUOIN, ILL., Mar. 7.—  
Work will begin at an early date on  
the construction of the Golconda  
Northern railroad, the first railroad to  
be built in Hardin county.

The line will extend from Golconda  
to Rosclaire, a distance of fifteen  
miles. The richest fluor spar mines in  
the world are located at Rosclaire.

## N. DIXON GIRLS GO TO ELGIN

A game between the girls' basket-  
ball team of the North Dixon high  
school and the Elgin Academy girls'  
team will be played the coming Sat-  
urday in Elgin. The line-up for the  
North Dixon team is: Marion Miller,  
center; Miflam Lapham and  
Blanche Chapman, forwards; Jose-  
phine Ives and Elizabeth Raymond,  
guards; Mary Joseph, sub. Miss  
Mary Staples will accompany the  
girls as chaperon. The Elgin Acad-  
emy team will play the Dixon girls  
a return game in Dixon on March  
24th.

## TO SETTLE IRISH PROBLEM

(Associated Press)  
London, Mich. 7.—The prospect of  
Premier Lloyd George participating  
in today's debate in the House of  
Commons and outlining the govern-  
ment's position toward Ireland, aroused  
interest. It is expected an amend-  
ment recording the desire of the  
House for a settlement of the ques-  
tion without coercion of any section  
of Irish opinion will be moved from  
the government benches and will be  
adopted as the official view.

## A. F. & A. M. SPECIAL.

A special meeting of Friendship  
Lodge 57, A. F. & A. M. will be held  
at 7:30 o'clock Thursday evening for  
60 degree work.

## Grand Jurors For April Term Court Named By Board

Various Supervisors Appoint  
Men Who Will Sit On In-  
quisitorial Body

The list of the Lee county grand  
jury, which will meet in April, as  
named by the several supervisors at  
today's session of the board, is as fol-  
lows:

## Township Juror.

Alto—Sjore J. Maakstad  
Amboy—Timothy Hayes  
Ashton—John Sloggot  
Bradford—Reinhart Aschenbren-  
ner  
Brooklyn—John Halbmeyer  
China—Fremont D. Lahman  
Dixon—Fred Hill  
Dixon—W. C. Jones  
East Grove—Edward Armstrong  
Hamilton—John F. Foss  
Harmon—Daniel D. Leonard  
Lee Center—Orville Tiffany  
Marion—John J. Morrissey  
May—Frank Emmons  
Nachusa—Oscar Eicholtz  
Nelson—Christopher Smith  
Palmyra—John W. Lawton  
Reynolds—George Henert  
South Dixon—Hubert Balen  
Sublette—Adolph Buettner  
Viola—Andrew Little  
Willow Creek—Willard E. Byrd  
Wyoming—Pinkney L. Woods.

## SHERIFF'S WIT FOILS INFURIATED CITIZENS

Mob Chases Past Him to Lynch  
Alleged Slayer.

Peoria, Ill., Mar. 7.—Over 300 citi-  
zens of Mason county bent upon lynch-  
ing William Becker, confidential sec-  
retary, adviser and handler of the  
hundreds of thousands of dollars of  
the slain Mr. and Mrs. John P. Beck-  
er, were frustrated in their attempts  
through the alertness of Sheriff Close  
of Havana.

The grand jury ordered the arrest  
of William Becker on a charge of mur-  
dering his father and mother in an at-  
tempt to get possession of the vast  
fortune. The sheriff started with his  
prisoner for Havana, but a telephone  
message caused him to change his  
plans and turn his auto toward the  
county jail at Pekin in Tazewell coun-  
ty, forty miles distant.

Another telephone message to the  
sheriff caught him on his way to Pekin  
and informed him that a mob was  
following in automobiles bent upon  
lynching the accused William Becker.  
The sheriff turned his auto into a side  
road and the prisoner and the sheriff's  
party watched the mob in autos speed  
by.

Sheriff Close then turned his auto  
towards the Logan county seat and at  
seven o'clock at night landed his pris-  
oner safe behind the bars in the Lo-  
gan county jail at Lincoln, Ill.

## WILL ASK CAMINETTI PARDON

President Wilson to Be Requested to  
Act in White Slave Case.

San Francisco, Cal., Mar. 7.—Presi-  
dent Wilson will be asked to pardon  
F. Drew Caminetti, son of Anthony  
Caminetti, United States commis-  
sioner general of Immigration, whose ap-  
peal for a rehearing of white slave  
conviction was denied by the United  
States supreme court.

## RUSS CRUISER DAMAGED

(Associated Press)  
Berlin, Mich. 7.—Russian armored  
cruiser Rurik, 15,700 tons, struck a  
mine in the Gulf of Finland and was  
badly damaged, according to a Stock-  
holm report.

## EGGS HIGH IN MICHIGAN

Jacob Herman, who has just re-  
turned from a visit with relatives in  
northern Michigan, says eggs are sel-  
ling for 75 cents a dozen there, and  
they are packed product at that. He  
is sending 75 dozen fresh eggs to his  
relatives.

## Wind Blew Huge Ball From Spire Of St. Paul's Lutheran Church This Morn

The high wind of this morning  
wrecked a part of the taller spire of  
St. Paul's Lutheran church, the huge  
wooden ball which topped the steeple  
being demolished. Fortunately no one  
was under it as it crashed in a hun-  
dred good sized pieces to the walk  
below. The ball, which was erected on  
the spire by the latter Jeremiah Moyer,  
father of County Treasurer John  
E. Moyer, was constructed of many  
beveled and hand-shaped pieces of  
wood, nailed together. It was fasten-  
ed to the steeple with a big iron rod,  
and the rod still remains in place.  
But the action of the elements for so  
many years had loosened the joints of

the ball and this morning's wind tore  
it asunder.  
The action of the wind in razing  
the ball, which many had looked at  
suspiciously for several weeks past, is  
not lamented by the pastor of the  
church, Dr. Altman, nor the members  
of the congregation, as it saves the  
trouble and expense of having it re-  
moved.

Incidentally, the congregation of  
the church at last Sunday's meeting,  
voted unanimously in approval of the  
plans for remodeling the church  
building, and one detail of the pro-  
posed work was the razing of the  
spires.

## SUPERVISORS' ACT OF FRIENDSHIP IS BLOW TO BRIDGE

COUNTY DADS PROTEST COM-  
PLETE KINDLY FEELING BUT  
PULL "OVERT ACT"

## OTHER TOWNSHIPS GET HELP

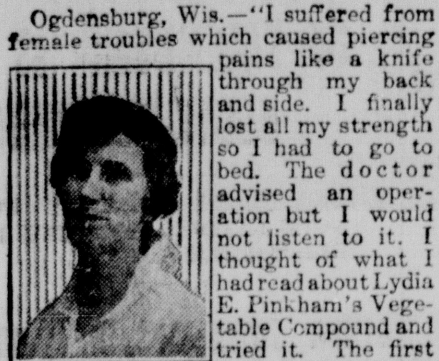
Also Denied Petition of Dixon Com-  
missioners That Co. Supt.  
Estimate Cost.

With many fervent



# PAINS SHARP AND STABBING

Woman Thought She Would Die. Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.



Ogdensburg, Wis.—"I suffered from female troubles which caused piercing pains like a knife through my back and side. I finally lost all my strength so I had to go to bed. The doctor advised an operation but I would not listen to it. I thought of what I had read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and tried it. The first bottle brought great relief and six bottles have entirely cured me. All women who have female trouble of any kind should try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."

Mrs. ETTA DORION, Ogdensburg, Wis. Physicians undoubtedly did their best, battled with this case steadily and could do no more, but often the most scientific treatment is surpassed by the medicinal properties of the good old fashioned roots and herbs contained in Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. If any complication exists it pays to write the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for special free advice.

## ROCHELLE

Rochelle, Mar. 5.—Miss Winifred Mailey consulted a physician on Thursday for a nervous acid burn. Miss Mailey was unable to remove a wart from her finger. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Crouse, of Linwood, Utah, Feb. 2, 1917, a baby girl, Carolyn Emma Crouse. Mrs. Crouse will be remembered in Rochelle as Miss Edna Countryman.

Two loaves of bread baked by the girls of the Freshman Domestic Science class of Rochelle high school were placed on exhibition at the C. A. Lang grocery store, Thursday. Fleischman's compressed yeast was used.

C. E. Joiner, former superintendent of the city schools, who is now with the Grafonola Co., attended the Chamber of Commerce address on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. George McBride of Pawpaw was calling on Rochelle relatives and friends on Thursday.

Dorothy Sherrick of Mt. Morris, who underwent an operation for appendicitis at Rochelle two weeks ago is recovering nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Barnett Longwell have named their infant son, Clayton Stevens Longwell.

Nearly all modern high schools offer more courses than a student can take in four years. Some of these courses are for general education or culture, some fit for home making, some for commercial positions while others are especially for preparation for college. These conditions are found in Rochelle high school.

If the pupil knows when he enters high school what work will best fit him for his life work the instructor finds it much easier to guide him in to courses which will be of most benefit. In order to co-operate with the home in this matter Superintendent Wimmer has sent letters to the parents of upper grade and high school pupils a form being enclosed which the parent is requested to fill out. The answers to these questions make it possible for the high school to be of much more value to each individual and thus to the community.

Frank Carver, a former resident of this city, who died at his home in Janesville, Wis., Saturday morning, was brought to Rochelle on the noon train, Monday, for burial. A brief service was held at the grave in Lawrence cemetery conducted by Rev. W. L. Whipple, pastor of the Methodist Church of this city.

The deceased was about 65 years of age and leaves a wife in Janesville. A cousin and two nieces from Rockford and Janesville, Wis., were in attendance at the funeral as was Earl Hodge, of Janesville, a warm personal friend. Mr. Carver was a confectioner by trade and at the time of his death was the proprietor of a small store in Janesville. He did a flourishing business in this city during the years when the fairs were held in this city.

A farewell dinner was given for Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Rand, residing near Creston, on Saturday. An excellent five course dinner was served at 1 o'clock. Thirty-seven relatives were present. Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Rand are moving to Rochelle to live. A son, Clayton Rand will assume the management of the farm. Mr. and Mrs. Rand have rented the Herbert S. Bain residence at the corner of 10th street and 8th avenue.

Will Benner of Virginia, Minn., was a dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Heydacker on Tuesday. Mr. Benner is a brother of Mrs. Frank Stoddard and Mrs. Grant Conrad and is a nephew of Mrs. Heydacker. He was on his way to Effingham, Ill., where he will take a position as engineer on a traction engine to be used in railroad construction work.

Joseph Opdyke has moved into the Charles Pratt house on Fourth avenue.

Geo. McBride of Pawpaw, is a

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traveling for a wholesale drug firm. George Earl, a former resident of this city, who has been spending the winter in Colorado Springs, Colo., for his wife's health, transacted business in this vicinity the latter part of last week. He was a Rochelle caller on Saturday and has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Earl, St. at Malta. He was making plans to return to Colorado at once having received a telegram stating that his wife was very low. Mrs. Earl is a tubercular.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Allen announce the birth of a son, February 22. Mrs. Allen was formerly Miss Elsie Weeks.

Daniel F. Sullivan is a candidate for re-election to the office of supervisor of the town of Flagg. Mr. Sullivan has served in this capacity for a number of years.

Mrs. Daniel Wagner of Creston was a guest of Mrs. W. E. Wade on Saturday.

Winfield T. Healy of Chicago spent Saturday in Rochelle the guest of his mother, Mrs. Mary Healy and other Rochelle relatives.

Mrs. Josiah May is seriously ill. A trained nurse is assisting members of the family in her care.

A special convocation of Rochelle Chapter, No. 158, R. A. M., will be held in their hall on Friday evening, March 2, for the conferring of the mark masters degree.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Menz and daughters, the Misses Lillian and Olive, spent Sunday in Ashton, where they attended the twenty-fifth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Justus Wagner. Mrs. Wagner is a sister of Mrs. Menz.

The Lindenwood band recently gave a farewell party to John Dummer, a member of the band, who moved to the Praet farm near Rochelle, March 1.

William P. Delaney of Oregon, and Ralph Conditman of Malta, attended the performance of "Savage Land" in this city Monday evening.

Miles Cutting of Rockford, was a Rochelle caller Monday morning.

## Dramatic Notes

PRINCESS THEATRE  
Helene Rosson and E. Forrest Taylor will appear in a five reel Mutual masterpiece entitled "The Abandonment" at the Princess tonight.

At some time in our lives the urgent desire to cast aside the conventions of everyday life and return to the wholesome life in the open with the sky for a canopy and the moss covered ground for a bed comes to us all.

For the most part this call to return to nature is put by with a half depressed feeling that we are unable to shake off the fetters that bind us, but in a few rare cases the call of the wild is answered and a life of freedom begins for the fortunate one who responds. Such a call was heard and answered by the hero in American Mutual Masterpicture, De Luxe Edition, "The Abandonment," a five act romantic drama in which Helene Rosson and E. Forrest Taylor play the leading roles.

## DIXON OPERA HOUSE

At the opera house next Friday night comes a new singing star, who has stepped into the shoes of Chauncey Olcott, using one of the latter's most successful plays, "Dream Girl of Mine" as his vehicle. The star is Clifford Hipple and the occasion will mark the coming of the first Olcott success to this city in some years. The play is from the pen of Rida Johnson Young who wrote many notable successes. Clifford Hipple is said to possess a sweet singing voice of a rare quality and to be an actor of more than ordinary ability. It will be his first appearance in this city as a star but will be sure to please all those who go to see him. He is said to be the handsomest man on the American stage today.

## SON BORN

A son was born Sunday morning at the Dixon hospital to Mr. and Mrs. J. McCarthy of 419 E. Fourth street.

The funeral of Isaac Antoine was held from his home south of town, to the Baptist church, Wednesday afternoon, at 2 o'clock. Rev. J. H. Hughes officiating. Interment in Prairie Repose cemetery. A number of relatives from out of town attended the funeral: Mrs. Robert Lytle, Canby, Minn.; Mr. and Mrs. Jule Antoine, Rochelle, Ill.; D. Antoine, Rockford, Iowa; Mrs. Chas. Burrows, Janesville, Wis.; Mr. and Mrs. August Gehant, West Brooklyn; Arthur Brewer and Miss E. Brewer, Sandwich, Ill.; Alvin July, Compton; Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Renstemaker, Rockford; Miss Clara Bresson, West Brooklyn; Vincent Arnold, Dixon.

Eno Aschenbrenner has a new Ford roadster.

## BREWER WILL SUPPORT DRY BILL

Writes to Leader of Sterling Revivals of His Attitude.

Sterling Gazette: At the service in the tabernacle Dr. W. M. Jones read a letter he had just received from Representative F. A. Brewer regarding the statewide prohibition referendum, as follows:

"Dear Sir: Your letter accompanied by the resolution passed by the Sterling and Rock Falls Evangelistic association was received upon my return to Springfield Tuesday. I am pleased to state that I will vote for the statewide referendum house bill No. 73, and am glad to know that all people in my immediate vicinity are deeply interested in this legislation. It is my opinion that the bill stands a very good chance of passing. Yours very truly, F. A. BREWER."

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## ATTENDED IOWA CONVENTION

Dixon Y. M. C. A. Workers Report Fine Session in Davenport.

The following from the Dixon Y. M. C. A. attended a very beneficial convention of the secretaries of Iowa associations at the Blackhawk hotel in Davenport Monday: Secretary Der Kinderen, Prof. H. H. Hagen, K. J. Reed, Harry Major, E. B. Raymond, J. Cledon, Oliver Rogers, A. Sutherland. A feature of the convention was an address by George Sherwood Eddy, who has just returned from association work among the troops in Europe.

## "WEATHER OR NO"

Some men are so busy listening for success to knock at their door that they haven't time to answer it on the telephone.

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W. J. McAlpine went east this morning.

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## Society Notes of Dixon and Vicinity

### Wednesday

Y. M. C. A. Auxiliary Meeting, Mrs. M. H. Vail.  
Inter Nos Circle, Mrs. Dave Boos.  
St. Agnes' Guild, Miss Florence Noble.

### Thursday

Wantoknow Club, Mrs. Fred Wagner.  
Thursday Reading Circle, Mrs. Ackert.  
Christian Missionary, Mrs. W. C. Stauffer.  
Baptist Missionary, Mrs. Hugu Miller, 310 Chamberlain street.  
St. Paul's Missionary, Mrs. L. W. Newcomer.  
St. James Missionary, Mrs. John Lohmyer.  
Thursday Reading Circle, Mrs. Ackert.  
Royal Neighbors, Miller Hall.  
Dorcas Society, Congregational Church.  
W. C. O. F. Meeting, K. C. Hall.

### Friday

Candlelighters Meeting, Presbyterian Church.  
Mrs. Wingert's Section of M. E. Aid, Mrs. John Sterling.  
C. C. Circle, Mrs. Edward Godfrey.  
Rebekah Lodge Meeting, I. O. O. F. Hall.  
True Bible Class Supper, M. E. Church.

### At Dinner

Mrs. Edgar Hays (nee Abbie Brimblecom) and daughter Charlotte Josephine, and Miss Mabel Redfern of St. Luke's Hospital, Chicago, were entertained at the Phil Miller home at dinner on Saturday.

### With Mrs. Sterling

Mrs. Wingert's Section of the M. E. Ladies' Aid will meet Friday afternoon with Mrs. John Sterling, 217 E. Boyd street.

### Banquet Men of St. Paul's

Preparations are moving apace for the men's banquet, a complimentary dinner given by the ladies of St. Paul's Lutheran church to the men of the church on Friday evening. At least 150 men are expected to participate. Among the after-dinner speakers of whom there are several, will be Dr. J. C. Kauffman of Milledgeville, and Rev. L. Woods, pastor of the South Dixon Lutheran churches. Dr. Kauffman will speak on the subject, "How Men May Help the Church."

### Lenten Address at St. Paul's

The People of St. Paul's will hear the third of the series of Lenten addresses given by the pastor, Dr. F. D. Altman, this evening at the church. The service opens at 7:30. This evening's subject is "Reviving Brings Rejoicing."

### Baptist Missionary

Mrs. Hugh Miller will entertain the members of the Missionary Society of the Baptist church at her home, 310 Chamberlain street, Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. An interesting program has been prepared, opening with a vocal solo by Miss Lucille Miller. Miss Emma Craig will give a piano solo and Miss Helen Miller a recitation. The devotionals will be in charge of Mrs. Charles Johnson. The lesson topic is "Missions and Peace."

### St. Paul's Choir

St. Paul's choir will meet for rehearsal Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock instead of on Friday evening because of the men's banquet to be held at the church that evening.

### Prayer Meeting

The regular service of prayer will be held this evening at 7:30 o'clock at the First Presbyterian church.

### W. C. O. F. Meeting

The W. C. O. F. will hold the regular meeting tomorrow evening in K. C. hall.

### For St. Patrick's Night

The Ladies' Aid Society of the West Brooklyn Church will give a St. Patrick's social in the band hall, Saturday evening, March 17th. Lunch will be served. Everyone is invited to come and spend a merry evening.

### To Hot Springs

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Dodge have gone to Hot Springs, Arkansas.

### Visit in Sterling

Mrs. John Hutton and her sister, Mrs. J. M. Curry, who is here visiting from Columbus, Neb., spent today in Sterling with friends.

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### Miss Merriman Weds

Miss Grace Merriman, daughter of W. B. Merriman, former county treasurer of Lee County, was united in marriage, Saturday, Feb. 24th, to Irving Schulte, county treasurer of Plymouth County, Iowa. The Le Mars (Iowa) Semi-Weekly Sentinel gives the following account:

Irving Schulte, treasurer of Plymouth county, a popular young man, and always more or less in the lime light by reason of his official position, not to mention his social qualifications, sprung a complete surprise on his friends when the announcement of his wedding was noised abroad. That the event was imminent was sensed by his friends and close acquaintances but Mr. Schulte on being sounded on the question of how soon or where, was reticent and always changed the theme of talk to the weather or other generalities on which men meet on common ground.

On Saturday afternoon after rounding up the duties of his office for the week he took the safe at four o'clock and with the lady of his choice, who was awaiting him, proceeded quietly to the home of Rev. M. J. Dommann, pastor of St. John's Evangelical church where he and Miss Grace Merriman, of Sioux City, were united in marriage. They left on the afternoon train on a wedding trip to Omaha and other points in the south and on their return will be at home to their friends at their home on north Clark street near the baseball park.

The groom is a very popular young man who was reared in this county, and was assistant in the postoffice when his father, L. H. Schulte, was postmaster at Remsen, and later was deputy when his father was elected to the office of treasurer. Irving Schulte was elected treasurer at the last general election by one of the biggest majorities ever accorded a candidate, which bears testimony to his popular efficiency, and he has scores of friends all over the county.

His bride is a charming and popular young woman of Sioux City, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter B. Merriman, of Utica, Mo., and has frequently visited in LeMars, where she has many friends. She is a niece of Mrs. Carson Herron and Mrs. W. D. Munro, of this city.

### Phidian Art Club

Miss Woodbridge and Miss Hitchcock were hostesses to the Phidian Art Club Tuesday afternoon. The meeting was opened by the president, Mrs. Forsyth. The reading of the minutes and the roll call followed.

The program opened with a charmingly rendered double vocal number by Miss Hitchcock—a. The Night Has a Thousand Eyes, and b., A Folk Song. Miss Hitchcock responded to the very hearty applause with an encore, "I'm A-longing for You".

Miss Ruth Dysart gave the paper of the afternoon on "The Golden Gate and the Dream City". Following are a few extracts from the very interesting article:

The bay of the Golden Gate City—San Francisco, is 450 miles square with a shore line of 100 miles. Into this harbor pours the trade from the Orient and by means of a belt line owned by the state the shipping facilities are the very best.

Berkeley, Oakland, Alameda, and Piedmont are across the bay from San Francisco. San Francisco would like very much to incorporate these cities and be called "greater San Francisco." Berkeley is a beautiful city and site of the university of California. Oakland joins Berkeley and is the third city in size in the state. South of Oakland is the island city of Alameda, noted for its beautiful hangarows. Piedmont is on the hills overlooking Golden Gate.

Chinatown, one of the interesting features of San Francisco, is very different from the old Chinatown before the "Big Fire" of 1916. Everything east of Van Ness street was destroyed at that time, but the spirit of San Francisco is indomitable and the new buildings are constructed along the principles of withstanding any shocks in the future.

Our English minister, Mr. Brice, said at one time that he considered Gibraltar and Constantinople the only European cities which could vie with San Francisco in location and beautiful harbor.

Market street is one of the principal streets and all streets run into Market.

The city is bonded for \$8,500,000 to be expended in its new civic center.

On Battery street is the Custom House and on Fifth and Mission street the United States Mint. San Francisco is built on sand hills. In the northeastern part of the city is Telegraph Hill where thousands of Mexicans, Hawaiians and the foreign population in general live. West is Russian Hill, a colony of artists, and Knob Hill is the habitat of the millionaires, although more of the wealthier class now live in San Mateo, Burlingame, and Pacific Heights. Tene Mountain is the

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site of all the large cemeteries. Southwest of Twin Peaks is Golden Gate Park, extending to the ocean. Cliff House, Sultro Baths, and Seal Rock were other notable places described by Miss Dysart.

The club members were given a very great treat in hearing Miss Dysart's personal experiences of the San Francisco Exposition of "Dream City." Following this delightful paper the meeting was adjourned and tempting refreshments served. Mrs. Dysart and Mrs. Wingert assisted the hostesses.

### Dorcas Society

The Dorcas Society of the Congregational church will meet at the church Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

### Presbyterian Auxiliary Met

The Women's Auxiliary of the Presbyterian church held an enjoyable meeting at the home of Miss Elizabeth Buckaloo Tuesday evening. About twenty-five were present. The assistant hostesses were Mrs. L. B. Miller, Mrs. C. P. Reid, and Miss Thomas. The "Ladies Artillery" as a certain man calls the society, for some unknown reason, perhaps because it is always to be found on the line of duty and in the field of action, elected their chief of command at this meeting. Mrs. Mark Keller was chosen president; Mrs. A. A. Rowland, vice president; Miss Hitchcock, secretary; Mrs. E. B. Raymond, assistant secretary; Miss Helen Tribou, treasurer. The executive committee consists of Mrs. Coppins, Mrs. Thomson, and Miss Morris.

A pleasant social evening followed the business, the ladies lingering long over the tempting refreshments served.

### Surprise Mrs. Keller

Ten ladies remembered the birthday of Mrs. John Keller of 1604 First Street Tuesday afternoon by dropping in to spend the afternoon, quite unannounced or previously invited. The self-invited guests were, however, accorded the warmest of welcomes by their much surprised hostess, and a happy afternoon, full of chat and merriment ensued. The hostess was showered with an attractive array of new aprons. At six-thirty o'clock another surprise was given when the husbands of the guests entered, prepared to enjoy supper and the evening. A delicious scramble supper of roast pork, rutabagas, potatoes, gravy, salads, pickles, cake, and coffee, was served. The evening was spent with cards as the chief diversion, while the Helley orchestra, which was present, gave a number of pleasing selections.

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### Many Visit U. of I. Car

That the Household Economics Demonstration car, upon the C. B. & Q. tracks, Amboy, is arousing a great deal of interest is shown by the number of visitors. On Tuesday, the second day of the exhibit, there were 150 visitors to the car, and about fifty this morning. Members of the Amboy high school were given an insight into home economics that was highly educative in a visit to the car this morning. The Amboy Woman's Club will visit the car on Thursday, and Walton, Pawpaw, and Dixon clubs will visit the car during the week. The lectures, to be given on Wednesday and Friday evening, promise much of interest. These are given at the Methodist church of Amboy. On Wednesday evening Miss Percival, in charge of the car, will talk on "Planning the Home" and Mr. Fogel will speak on "Farm Power Equipment." The Friday evening lecture will be an illustrated one upon house equipment.

### Candlelighters Meet Friday

The Candlelighters Society of the Presbyterian church will meet Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the church. A good attendance is solicited as much work is to be done.

### To Go to Long Island

Colonel and Mrs. O. J. Downing will leave tomorrow to visit Col. Downing's sister in Flushing, Long Island, N. Y. Colonel Downing, who is 83 years young, as the expression goes, carrying his years with him, his military bearing still unimpaired, will have hard work to convince his eastern friends that he is really himself, so young is he in appearance. His son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. George Downing, will accompany them to Chicago.

### Plan District Federation Meet

The executive committee of the Women's clubs of the thirteenth district federation met today at the Nachusa tavern in a business session to plan for the federation meeting to be held in Prophetstown in May. Luncheon was enjoyed by the group of ten ladies at the Nachusa at noon, and the afternoon given over to business. Among those present were the president of the federation, Mrs. Heald of Byron, Mrs. Lewis of Stillman Valley, Mrs. W. S. Frost, Jr., of Amboy, Mrs. Tuttle of Morrison, Mrs. Graham of Rochelle, Mrs. Platt of Sterling, Mrs. Spoor of Byron, Mrs. Olmstead and Mrs. Hotchkins of Prophetstown, and Mrs. L. W. Newcomer of this city.

### Cherry Luncheon

The U. of I. Club was most pleasantly entertained at the home of Mrs. Anna Davis Tuesday evening with a "cherry luncheon". The colors used in the decorative scheme were in red and white. The table, used in the serving, had as its centerpiece a crystal vase of red carnations, red candles reposed in crystal candlesticks, and baskets of cherries further decorated the table. The guests were served at small tables similarly decorated, to the luncheon, which was carried out in the colors, also, and was most excellent. The evening was spent in fancy work and looking over Mrs. Davis' coarse collection of relics.

### Dinner Honors Birthday

A dinner, honoring Mrs. George Coakley's birthday, arranged by her children, was given last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Coakley. Pink carnations and yellow daffodils decorated the very attractive centerpiece while the other table decorations were carried out in pink. The affair was arranged as a surprise to Mrs. Coakley and was most pleasantly carried out. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Coakley, Mr. and Mrs. George Missman, Mr. and Mrs. George Muzzey and family, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Coakley, and Miss Hope Coakley.

### C. C. Circle

The C. C. Circle will meet on Friday with Mrs. Edward Godfrey.

### G. R. Class Meeting

Members of the Golden Rule Class of St. Paul's Sunday School, to the number of twelve, gathered at the home of Miss Pauline Fulton last evening for the monthly business meeting. A social evening, with refreshments, followed the business session. Mrs. Merle Hursh and baby of Denver, were guests. Mrs. Hursh is a former teacher of the class.

### To Ashton for Visit

Mrs. Fred Schmidt went to Ashton today to be the guest of her daughter, Mrs. G. Mack.

### Royal Neighbors

The Royal Neighbors will meet in regular session tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock at Miller Hall. Each member is asked to bring a dish towel and a post card.

### Dinner Party

Mr. and Mrs. George Lightner entertained at dinner Monday evening a party of friends. Guests from out of town were Mrs. Clarence Hardesty of Chana and Edward Brock of Detroit, Mich.

### Motored to Dixon

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Aschenbrenner, of Bradford township, Mrs. W. S. Frost, Jr., of Amboy, and Mrs. Bodine of Lee Center motored to Dixon today. Mrs. Frost, who is president of the Amboy Woman's Club, came to attend the executive committee meeting of the Federation of the Thirteenth District.

Mrs. Ray Huyett of Nachusa was here today.

Dr. Sickels went to Oregon today on business.

Miss Katherine Steffy is assisting in the Mrs. Hess Millinery, as is also Miss Marguerite Lawson.

U. G. Fuls of Sterling has moved to Route 8, Dixon.

Mrs. H. M. Eberly of Route 7 was in Dixon today.

F. Reineking of Route 4 was in town today.

Mrs. Jerry Hoyle and daughter of South Dixon shopped here today.

Mrs. Alexander of Bluff Park went to Chicago today.

Mrs. Emma Canterbury will go to Chicago tomorrow for a few days' visit.

Mrs. Robin Hartwell and Mrs. Arthur Morris shopped in Dixon today from Franklin Grove.

J. A. July of Sublette was in Dixon today.

Think Hand Washing Best for Wards. GENEVA, ILL., Mar. 7.

The legislative committee that visited the state school for girls rejected the request for washing machines, saying the girls should continue to learn how to do washing by hand.

### M. E. Church Dedicated.

MEDORA, ILL., Mar. 7. The corner stone of the new \$5,000 First Methodist Episcopal church of Medora was laid with impressive ceremonies, with Rev. Dr. C. C. Hall of East St. Louis in charge.

### Elevator Burns, Loss \$50,000.

JOLIET, ILL., Mar. 7. The elevator of the Elwood Farmers' Grain company, seven miles south of Joliet containing 30,000 bushels of corn and oats, was destroyed by fire. The loss is \$50,000.

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## HENRY CLEWS ON WAR.

Henry Clews, speaking of the war that hovers over America so ominously near, says in part:

The immediate effect of war would be increased taxes, large bond issues, heavy orders for military supplies, the rushing forward of naval construction and recruiting of large numbers of men for the army, who would be thus withdrawn from various employments and add to the problems of the labor situation. Several months must elapse before any considerable military force could be dispatched to Europe, and it is not known in what direction our naval forces would be employed, though defense would naturally receive first attention. Meanwhile we could still offer considerable aid to the allies, since our munition capacity is probably much ahead of our own requirements and could readily be enlarged. In many directions preparedness, though far from complete, is well advanced as to first steps, simply because the mobilization of finance, industry and transportation had been planned ahead sufficiently to render execution comparatively easy.

Just how the stock market will behave in event of hostilities it is difficult to estimate. The prevalent opinion is that war has been discounted and that after the first shock, which may cause a fall, there will come a general recovery owing to relief from suspense and expectation of war inflation. This market has been well liquidated during the last two months, and there is a great abundance of capital awaiting investment when confidence revives. On the other hand it would be hazardous to overlook the effect of impending heavy government issues, domestic and foreign which will increase the demand for funds and cause frequent shifting of high priced investments yielding low returns to some of the new government issues which offer safe and more attractive returns. Then there is always the possibility, increasing each day, of an early and unexpected ending of the war which would of course precipitate a fresh readjustment in business affairs throughout the civilized world. For these and other reasons no engagements entering into the future can be made with any reasonable assurance, and the only safe policy is step by step and day by day. At the same time the country must and will quickly accommodate itself to the new conditions. Troubles will be faced steadfastly and accepted with composure.

## THE TARIFF IN EPAULETS

In an address before the Lawyers' club, New York, the other day Rear Admiral Chadwick, retired, gave his audience to understand that wars would be waged so long as protective tariffs existed, hence commerce should be permitted to move untrammelled by trade restrictions.

Admiral Chadwick, like free-trade advocates in general, tackles the problem at the wrong end. Instead of trumpeting against the custom houses and arguing for a policy which would put the products of the three-dollar-a-day American workman in competition with the output of the dollar-a-day European, or the 25-cent-a-day Oriental, why do they not inaugurate a propaganda of larger altruism and induce our foreign competitors to give labor a larger share in the products of its toil, in the shape of higher wages, which would create a higher standard of living?

If our foreign competitors will persist in the perpetuation of a peasant class through the payment to labor of just enough to keep body and soul together, the United States should not make itself a party to such a policy by free trade, or by reducing the wages of labor here. But if Great Britain, for example, can produce a bolt of cotton cloth for \$2.00 because of the low cost of the labor involved, and it costs the United States \$3.50 to produce the same bolt of cloth, because we pay a much higher rate, it stands to reason that the English bolt, under a free trade policy, will find a ready sale here, while the demand for the American cloth will cease, the mill fabricating it will close down, the workmen employed therein will become idle, the farmer selling produce to them will lose customers. If foreign manufacturers will pay their workmen a wage anything like that paid here, our own manufacturers will take their chances with free trade.

There is another solution of the problem, and that is to pay our workmen the foreign rate of wages. Which is better, to educate the foreigners to higher standards, or recommend lower standards for our own people?

## GRABBING THE GOLD.

The treasury department is making strenuous efforts to get into its possession the gold of the country, much of which is now in the hands of the public. Some months ago the government began a strict enforcement of the regulation regarding the acceptance of gold coins at their depreciated value due to abrasion. Considerable publicity was given to the fact that individuals holding worn coins were to lose the amount represented by the metal worn from the coin. The tendency of this was to cause the public to ask for paper money rather than gold. In some instances the discrimination against gold was so pronounced that even postoffice clerks accepted gold coins with hesitation and reluctance. The best money in the world was thus discredited.

Now comes the announcement that the department advises the government stand the loss due to abrasion, provided coins are deposited with the government within a specified period of 90 days. The obvious effect of this would be that all persons holding coins which bear any signs of wear would immediately turn them into the treasury in order to avoid subsequent loss, and the government would have all the gold, and the public the paper money only.

What the purpose of the department is in thus endeavoring to drive the gold out of the channels of trade and into the vaults of the treasury is difficult to imagine. Because the purpose is obscure, there is all the more reason why the business men of the country should study more carefully the financial policies adopted by the administration, and the probable effect upon future financial conditions if its efforts in the retirement of gold from general circulation shall be successful.

The Germans are apparently not ashamed of the plot against the U. S. They are just chagrined at being caught at it.

They'll be wearing six-shooters in that Texas legislature if they keep on.

"New England Has Big Storm," says a head-line. Sure, Washington, D. C., had one, too, a brain-storm.

## City In Brief

Louis Pitcher went to Chicago today on business.

George Netzt returned last evening from Chicago.

Attorney E. H. Brewster went to Danville this morning on professional business.

A. G. Harris returned last night from a business visit in Chicago.

B. F. Snyder went to Rockford this morning to attend a convention of ice cream manufacturers.

E. M. Goodsell is in Polo today.

Constable F. A. Gould of Sterling was here today.

Henry Tripp of Oregon was a Dix visitor this morning and reports the roads in very bad condition.

Atty. Charles E. Woodburn was here today from Sterling.

**Running Races at Belvidere.**  
BELVIDERE, ILL., Mar. 7.  
A running race meet is to be held at Belvidere July 4 and 5, under the auspices of the Belvidere Fair association with purses aggregating \$4,000.

**Good Prices for Sweet Corn.**  
BELVIDERE, ILL., Mar. 7.  
Belvidere canneries are offering \$2 a ton more for sweet corn this year than last season, to induce farmers to plant a larger acreage.

**Died Attending Church Service.**  
DANVILLE, ILL., Mar. 7.  
Mrs. William Backlin, wife of a business man of Georgetown, died while attending the Christian church at Danville.

## ADVERTISED MAIL

Mail matter advertised at Dixon March 5:

## Letters—

J. B. Ahearn  
J. W. Wright  
Mrs. P. W. Brenner  
Mrs. Kathryn Brown  
W. T. Burdick  
Myra Dean  
O. H. Dimmick  
Mr. Clevie  
Drake Marble & Tile Co.  
Mrs. L. Duffy  
Mrs. Chas. Fane  
Daney Grimer  
Goodrich & Goodrich  
T. W. Jones  
Mrs. A. L. Kennedy  
Mrs. Emily Nall  
Jake Miller  
Mrs. Rose Miller  
Miss Edith Moller  
Miss Ruth Morris  
Miss Bertha Moore  
Fay Perry  
K. O'Hara  
G. O. Palmer  
Rev. William Quinliss  
Florence Tamblin  
W. J. Scholtz  
Geo. A. Scholl  
Editor Record  
Mrs. Fern Smith  
Wilbur Spellman  
W. H. Stevens  
Miss W. E. Willson  
U. S. Express Co.

## Cards—

John Barkley  
Mrs. Ella Davis  
Granville Ensley  
George H. Holmes  
E. P. Mason  
George Warrton  
Mrs. Minnie Mihal  
Mrs. Harlan Miller  
Miss Mary Ryan  
Mrs. Wm. Schmitt  
Miss Della Shirley  
Fred Shibley  
W. O. Van Dusen.

WM. F. HOGAN,

Postmaster.

JAS. W. BALLOU,

Assistant.

## AMERICAN FIRMS INVITED

(By United Press)

aPris, Mich. 7.—American manufacturers and merchants who desire to increase their trade with France today were invited to brave the submarine zone, if it is in existence when the time comes, and send their displays over for the great Bordeaux Fair, Sept. 1 to 15. There is a great opportunity for American-made goods in France, more so than ever before. They always have been welcomed, however. It may be interesting to the Americans, to know that soaps and perfumes made in America and imported by French merchants are eagerly sought by French women as the soaps and perfumes made here and shipped to America are sought by the American women. All allied and neutral countries are invited to participate in the fair. The exhibits will be placed in the Place des Quinconces, overlooking the Garonne river quays.

## HEAD STUFFED FROM CATARRH OR A COLD

Says Cream Applied in Nostrils Opens Air Passages Right Up.

Instant relief—no waiting. Your clogged nostrils open right up; the air passages of your head clear and you can breathe freely. No more hawking, sniffling, blowing, headache, dryness. No struggling for breath at night; your cold or catarrh disappears.

Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist now. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic, healing cream in your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage of the head, soothes the inflamed or swollen mucous membrane and relief comes instantly.

It's just fine. Don't stay stuffed up with a cold or nasty catarrh.

## TELLS STORY OF FAMOUS OLD TRAIL

(Continued from page 1)

Except for Rock river and its slopes Lee county at that time lay a vast shallow lake, green in the summer, spreading out townships in extent, with a fringe of upland prairie, freely dotted with groves. In Lee county this low country took somewhat the shape of a dumbbell. Near the center, the borders of the swamp approached each other. The water narrowed to a running stream, and the bottom was more or less rock and gravel. In the stretch of many miles across the state this neck was almost the only part of the swamp at which travel could make a crossing. The easterly limit was "Inlet" and the westerly limit, so far as used for crossing at any rate, was in the Welty and Brewster neighborhood, some fifteen miles down stream. All through this stretch of country the land was wooded down to the stream's edge. It was somewhere within this fifteen miles that all travel between the Rock river country and that south and east of the swamps must pass.

Already—this was in the 30's—trade centers had sprung up in the north end of the state and were creating important cross-country commerce. To the east lay Chicago, terminus of lake navigation, an outfitting point for the great west country. To the northwest, on the Mississippi, Galena was turning out lead for the needs of civilization. A hundred miles south from Lee county, at the upper end of effective navigation on the Illinois, stood Peoria, then an active trade competitor of Chicago; and still further up the river, and bidding for trade, was Peru, Chicago, Peru and Peoria all sought lines of travel to Galena.

"Inlet" being the furthest east that the Green river country could be crossed, became the objective point from Chicago, and grew into a well known settlement on the Chicago-Galena route.

The Welty crossing, almost due north from Peoria, determined the direction of the trail from that point to Rock river. These two main routes, heading for Galena, intersected at the bank of Rock river.

Here Father Dixon, then living in Peoria, and carrying the mails between Peoria and Galena, induced the half-breed Ogee to establish a ferry, later to be taken over by Father Dixon himself, and to become known as Dixon's Ferry, and ultimately as Dixon.

Thence on, Dixon is to be thought of not as a mere ferrying point, but as a center of importance, as regards both trade and early history. We have named some principal objective points. There were other and smaller centers which also must be considered. Up Rock river half a dozen miles, at the "grand detour" there had been a French trading post before Father Dixon arrived here. The name "Grand Detour" remains and shows its French origin. The post was near the river, on the farm now owned by Gene Harrington. Down the river, at its mouth, were Davenport and Rock Island.

Minor settlements lying outside our present boundaries were Buffalo Grove (now Polo), Oregon City, Hickory Grove (afterwards Lane Station, now now Rochelle), Shabbona's Grove, Ottawa, Mendota, Princeton and Sterling. The three towns last named were not, I think, so early centers as the others.

Within the county were Gap Grove and Sugar Grove, of Palmyra; Franklin Grove, of China; Brush Grove, at the north border of Reynolds; Allen's, Smith's and Twin Groves, of Willow Creek; Pawpaw and Four-Mile Groves, of Wyoming; the Mangins, Big and Little, of Brooklyn and Viola; Inlet Grove, of Lee Center; Knox Grove, of southeast Sublette; Perkins Grove, on the boundary of Sublette and over in Bureau; East Grove, from which the present East Grove Township takes its name; "Dad Joe's" Grove, on the hill just over into Bureau county; and Palestine Grove, skirting Green river from the Welty crossing all the way up to Amboy.

(To Be Continued)

## CELEBRATE BURBANK'S 68TH BIRTHDAY

(By United Press)

Oakland, Cal., Mich. 7.—Luther Burbank, the wizard of Santa Rosa, is 68 years old today. In celebration of the event Oakland has virtually declared a holiday; and most of the population will gather to attend the setting out of Burbank's dahlia, said to be the largest white dahlia ever produced. The Burbank Oakland dahlia henceforth will be Oakland's official flower. A bulb from the new dahlia will be presented also to each of the other 27 cities in the United States named Oakland. This will be Oakland, California's, first return of the compliment paid by the other Oaklands in presenting her each with a live oak tree to be planted beside Oakland's official tree in the City Hall plaza.

Attorney Harry Warner was a passenger to Chicago this morning on business.

Charles Eccles of Sublette was here today on business.

## RETURNED TO HOSPITAL

Edward Denger of Lee Center, who escaped from the Watertown hospital recently, was located near Lee Center Tuesday and was finally captured and brought to Dixon by Deputy Sheriff Schoenholz. He will be taken to the institution again for further treatment.

## 'Shake Off That Grip

When Spring comes, with its changeable weather and your exposure, it is best to clear away all the symptoms left after an attack of grip. That evil disease leaves you weakened, and when its victim attempts to "do his bit" he exposes himself to the risk of a second attack, for which he is less prepared, and which may have graver consequences.

## There's Danger in Delay

April and May are pneumonia months. In this time a weakened system is a constant source of danger, for the pneumonia and grip infections are in the air, and after a long winter the body is so clogged with waste it cannot resist them. Fortify the health, remove the catarrh, and improve the digestion.

## For Quick Relief PERUNA

This reliable tonic is recommended to remove the waste from the body, counteract the catarrhal poisons and allay the inflammation that is catarrh, restore the regular appetite and tone up the entire system to resist disease. A well man is safe.

As a tonic after grip it has won many commendations, while its effectiveness in catarrhal conditions is unquestioned. Take no chances—Take Peruna.

Peruna Tablets are always ready to take. You may carry a box with you and ward off colds and chills. The liquid medicine in your home is a great safeguard. Protect your family.

The Peruna Company, Columbus, Ohio

## -Savings Club-

The savings system adopted by this bank gives you practical advantages offered by no other system. We want every one to know about it. If you are not a member now, let us suggest that you join at once. Save for special purposes—



Christmas, Vacations, Life Insurance Premiums  
Start weekly payments as low as 2 cents or as much as \$2, intermediate payments to suit your convenience.

DIXON NATIONAL BANK

DIXON, ILL.

CAPITAL AND SURPLUS, - - \$250,000.00

## FORD

THE UNIVERSAL CAR

320,817

Have been built and actually delivered to retail buyers since August 1, 1916.

These figures—320,817—represent the actual number of cars manufactured by us since August 1, 1916, and delivered by our agents to retail buyers.

This unusual fall and winter demand for Ford cars makes it necessary for us to confine the distribution of cars to those agents only who have orders for immediate delivery to retail customers, rather than to permit any agent to stock cars in anticipation of later spring sales.

We are issuing this notice to intending buyers that they may protect themselves against delay or disappointment in securing Ford cars. If therefore, you, are planning to purchase a Ford car, we advise you to place your order and take delivery now. Immediate orders will have prompt attention.

Delay in buying at this time may cause you to wait several months.

Enter your order to-day for immediate delivery with the authorized Ford agent listed below and don't be disappointed later on.

Prices: Runabout \$345, Touring Car \$360, Coupelet \$505, Town Car \$595, Sedan \$645, f. o. b., Detroit

Ford Motor Company

Authorized Ford Agent

GEORGE NETTZ GARAGE

## Dixon Opera House

ONE PERFORMANCE ONLY

FRIDAY NIGHT, MARCH 9

## AMERICA'S SWEET SINGER

MR. CLIFFORD HIPPLE

IN THE COLOSSAL SCENIC PRODUCTION

"DREAM GIRL O'MINE"

Songs by Mr. Hipple Nightly

"I NEVER MET A GIRL LIKE YOU"

"ME LITTLE DUDEIN"

"THAT'S AN IRISH LULLABY"

"DREAM GIRL O'MINE"

Mr. Hipple Sings Splendidly.  
His Acting Towers  
Over Others.

The Company and Entire  
Production are Guaranteed  
Excellent.

PRICES \$1.00, 75c, 50c, 25c.

Seat Sale Now at Campbell's Drug Store

Mail Orders Now



# Telegraph Want Ads

## FOR 25 WORDS OR MORE

1c a Word for ..... 2 Times  
3c a Word a Week ..... 6 Times  
5c a Word Two Weeks ..... 12 Times  
9c a Word a Month ..... 26 Times

## WANTED

WANTED. Highest market price paid for all kinds of junk, old iron, rags, rubber, metal, also hides and wool. Trading direct with us means more money for your goods. Call 413 for your orders. S. Rubenstein, 114-118 River St., Dixon.

MEN. Our illustrated catalogue explains how we teach the barber trade quickly, mailed free. Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill. 2mo1

WANTED: The parties who borrowed the large flag from the Evening Telegraph to return same to this office. t 12

WANTED. Plain sewing. Address 1321 Third St. 51tf

WANTED. Washings, at 1321 West Third St. 51tf

WANTED. Washings to do. Mrs. Freda Nearing, 1411 W. Third St. 51tf

WANTED. Plain sewing and mending. Mrs. Fisher, South College Bldg. Phone 12973. 51tf

WANTED. Everyone troubled with itching, tired feet to try a box of Healo. For sale by all druggists.

WANTED. All our advertisers to know that the Telegraph is a member of the Audit Bureau of Circulations. That means honest circulation and the advertiser knows what he is paying for.

ADVERTISERS. Fine chance to use Newspaper Advertising to advantage. "National Classified Week," Sunday, March 18th, to Sunday March 25th. Run "Agents," "Salesmen," "Help Wanted," "Real Estate," "Business Opportunity" or others ads in this and other leading Newspapers. Best results now. Bulletin 135 tells all about "Classified." Write either office for a copy. Free. Arkenberg. Special Agency, 710 World Bldg., New York; or 410 Madison Ave., Toledo, Ohio. References: Any Newspaper anywhere. 53tf

WANTED. Porter at Nachusa Tavern. Apply at once. 54tf

WANTED. All our readers to watch for the opening chapter of the splendid story, "The Iron Trail," by Rex Beach, which will appear in Thursday evening's Telegraph.

WANTED—Man to pack shipping orders. Night work. Peter Bakery. 55 t 2

WANTED. A bell boy. Dixon Inn. 55 2

WANTED. Second girl. Apply to Mrs. Wm. J. McAlpine, 204 Ottawa Ave. 53tf

WANTED. Men and ladies to learn barber trade. World's most profitable trade. Quickly learned. Money earned while finishing up. Tuition \$25.00. Write for catalog. 201 16th St., Moline, Ill. 54ml

## FOR SALE

FOR SALE. Improved farms at cost of clearing stumps. Show best soil and bargains or pay your fare. Wadsworth Co., Temple Court, Minneapolis. 152tf

Best land north of Iowa, \$3.00 per acre and up. Reliable resident will locate homesteads. Wadsworth Co., 525 Temple Court, Minneapolis, Minn. 24tf

FOR SALE: Unusual bargains in and in Minnesota and North Dakota. Full particulars write Wadsworth Co., 525 Temple Court, Minneapolis, Minn., or Langdon, S. Dakota. 24tf

FOR SALE. New 9 room modern house with garage, one-half block from court house. George Anderson, 315 Ottawa Ave. Phone Y909. 10m

FOR SALE. A double house of eight rooms on each side, in good condition; modern. Bath, furnace, city and cistern water, gas and electricity. For further particulars call Phone 783. 51tf

FOR SALE CHEAP. 1/2 block, north of W. 1st St. 3 blocks west of shoe factory. C. B. Boyd, 108 Harrison Ave. Phone X244. 54 6\*

FOR SALE. Used Studebaker in first class mechanical condition. Chalmers-Saxon Agency, 122 E. 1st St. 54 4

—FOR SALE. Land in northeastern Minnesota, where independence may be had on a few acres by men of moderate means; may even be hewn out of the timber by men whose only asset is their brawn. Wadsworth Co., 525 Temple Court, Minneapolis, Minn. 55tf

FOR SALE. Building lots, most desirable; center of city; corner Madison and Second, and on Third St. between Madison and Monroe; south front. Apply after March 12th. Geo. C. Loveland. 54 4

FOR SALE. Four high grade Holstein bulls, large enough for service. Enquire of Will Welsz, 1119 N. Galena Ave. 52 6

FOR SALE. Saxon-Six. Run 6 months—bargain. Call at Wilson's Garage. 54 10

FOR SALE. 2nd hand Schaeffer upright piano; good tone, \$95. Easy terms. See this one if you are looking for a bargain. Theo J. Miller & Sons, Cor. Galena Ave. & 2nd St. 54 4

FOR SALE. Gas stove, bicycle and some lumber, 829 N. Ottawa Ave. 55 2\*

FOR SALE. A desirable building lot; price reasonable. Mrs. George H. Squires, 519 E. 2nd St. Phone 783. 51tf

FOR SALE. The Saturday Evening Post. Call Home Phone K211. Charles LeSage. 51tf

FOR SALE. Cheaper than coal; 48 cords of 4 ft. dry wood, mostly oak on my farm for \$4.00 cash per cord. Could pay the Dixon Nat'l bank or write me with best offer and amount wanted. Could load car at ice house, railroad switch, in Dixon. S. R. Harris, owner, 5 N. LaSalle St., Chicago, Ill. 50 2 4

FOR SALE. The exclusive agency for a good paying and well established business. Address W, care this office. 51 6\*

FOR SALE: Most desirable building lot. Enquire of Miss Mary Wynn, 420 Third street. Telephone 929. 51tf

FOR SALE or Trade. Parcel delivery and storage of stoves business. "Studie" Baker. Phone Y854. 52tf

## FOR RENT

FOR RENT. A farm of 160 acres in Marion township. Enquire of Dan Donovan, Dixon, Ill. Phone 1006. 54 2\*

FOR RENT. Several acres of land near Dixon on Grand Detour road. For further particulars enquire of Mrs. John Collins, Home phone, R. 2. 54tf

FOR RENT. 5 room house, large garden; city and cistern water, gas and electricity; block from car line. Call Phone K605. 55 2\*

FOR RENT. Modern 8 room house and good barn; vacant April 1. Inquire W. R. McGinnis, 904 Peoria Ave. 55tf

## Loan

MONEY TO LOAN: On farms as security, six per cent interest. No commission. Address A B, this office, stating security and description of same. 239 tf

Money To Loan on farms in Lee, Whiteside, Ogle and DeKalb counties. An unlimited supply on hand. Lowest interest rates and will loan up to 50% of value. DIXON REALTY COMPANY. 38tf

## SALE DATES

March 15. Howard Irvin & Son Registered Angus Cattle Sale at Smith's Sale Barn in Polo.

March 8—A. L. Kreider, closing out sale. 2 miles west of Grand Detour on farm known as the Hod Dana farm. Fruin & Rutt, Auctions.

March 8—Combination sale at Manges' feed barn, Dixon, Ill. D. M. Fahrney, Auction.

March 9—James Hinton, horses and mules sale at Manges feed barn, Dixon, Ill. D. M. Fahrney, Auction.

—Read the Telegraph. It costs you but 10 cents a week delivered at your home each evening.

If you want to rent your room you should have one of our window cards. Furnished Rooms For Rent.

## TAKE "CASCARETS" IF HEADACHY, BILIOUS AND CONSTIPATED

Best for liver and bowels, bad breath, bad colds, sour stomach

Get a 10-cent box. Sick headache, biliousness, coated tongue, head and nose clogged up with a cold—always trace this to torpid liver; delayed, fermenting food in the bowels or sour, gassy stomach.

Poisonous matter clogged in the intestines, instead of being cast out of the system is re-absorbed into the blood. When this poison reaches the delicate brain tissue it causes congestion and that dull, throbbing, sickening headache.

Cascarets immediately cleanse the stomach, remove the sour, undigested food and foul gases, take the excess bile from the liver and carry out all the constipated waste matter and poisons in the bowels.

A Cascaret tonight will surely straighten you out by morning. They work while you sleep—a 10-cent box from your druggist means your head clear, stomach sweet and your liver and bowels regular for months.

## Y. M. C. A. BOWLING

CLASS B.			
Smith			
Smith	128	133	121
McNicol	140	149	112
Blackburn	139	130	135
Seekman	128	128	129
Squires	88	88	89
Totals	623	628	586
Grand total	1827.		

Wingert			
Wingert	106	167	113
Trowbridge	178	105	129
Meydam	114	125	152
Sennel	173	134	111
Schilberg	185	130	105
Totals	757	661	610
Grand total	2027.		

## CITY LEAGUE BOWLING

Fallstrom			
Thompson	134	157	141
Fallstrom	144	152	189
Wallace	164	143	154
Totals	442	452	484
Grand total	2362.		

Loftus			
Seekman	157	138	192
Loftus	179	159	106
Root	184	145	177
Totals	520	422	475
Grand total	2416.		

## 10,000 ADVERTISING MEN.

St. Louis, Mo., 7.—10,000 advertising men at the national convention of the Associated Advertising Clubs of the world here in June will outline plans not only to promote but to compel absolute honesty in advertising, both among newspapers and advertisers themselves in the United States. The groundwork, the advertising men feel, has been laid by their several years' campaign advocating honesty in advertising. A number of newspapers have inaugurated honest advertising campaigns and much progress, the organization feels, has been made. Now the plan will be to go out and actively fight dishonest advertising on a national basis. The club's national vigilance committee has done a lot of work already, but this will be increased and developed, the committee forming the basis for the national campaign for honesty in advertising.

M. E. PRAYER MEETING. Secretary DerKinderen of the Y. M. C. A. will be in charge of the prayer meeting at the Methodist church this evening because of the illness of the pastor, Rev. E. C. Lumsden. Mr. Lumsden and his son Newell, both of whom have been ill, are reported to be convalescing satisfactorily.



## For Stiff Neck

Apply Sloan's Liniment without rubbing to the sore leaders and the pain will soon be relieved.

For rheumatic aches, neuralgia, gout, lumbago, bruises, strains, sprains and muscle stiffness, have a bottle handy.

Quickly penetrates and soothes, cleaner than many plasters or ointments, does not stain the skin.

At all druggists, 25c, 50c, and \$1.00.

**Sloan's Liniment**  
KILLS PAIN

## BRAVES GO TO BAT STRONG AS IN 1916

SAME OLD OUTFIT WILL REPRESENT BOSTON IN THE NATIONAL LEAGUE.

(By United Press)

Boston, Mich. 7.—The same old pitching staff, the same energetic infield and the same snappy punchy outfield probably will be in action for the Braves again this year. There are certain to be a few changes, but for the most part the Braves will be just as they finished a year ago. Such a solidity of purpose, a bulwark of defense, and an angle attack have been developed that to tear away part of the machine would be to damage it badly. In the opinion of George Stallings, he made a game fight a year ago and he figures he will be able to deliver the same punch again this year. The catching staff again will depend upon Hank Gowdy, the backstop who played with such amazing skill during the world's series of 1915. He will have as assistant Blackburn, a good youngster, and Trageser, Ricco will be given a tryout but is not expected to horn in ahead of the others. Stallings remarked some time ago that he has heard from Bill James and that the pitching staff believes he can get his arm into shape for a season this summer. James was useless in the last campaign but was kept on in the hope he would develop something. So far it has been a hope, but he will be given plenty of time to get in shape this spring. Dick Rydell, Neff, Hughes, Ragan, Tyler and Davies are expected to hold up most of the pitching. This staff is a plenty for most any club. Stallings, in fact, is rated by many to be in a position to give the Giants a stronger bat for the pennant than any manager in the league. Collins, Magee and Wilhoit, the outfield which did the heavy work last year, seems to have the call, but Joe Kelly, obtained from Chicago in the trade which sent Fred Mitchell to that city, is a promising man. Kelly has had major league experience. He will have to show the goods if he sticks. Larry Chappelle also will get another major league trial. The infield will be composed of Konechey, Evers, Maranville and Smith, a combination which has never failed to acquit itself with credit. The Braves now are in Miami, Fla., preparing for the season in their camp. They will meet the Athletics in a series of three games at Miami, beginning March 22.

## CURE FOR INFANT PARALYSIS.

(By United Press)

Chicago, Mich. 7.—Dr. Wm. Herzog expects to have perfected a cure for infantile paralysis before the fatal hot summer months, he announced today. "Already," said Dr. Herzog, who has made an exhaustive study of the disease which caused so many deaths and so much distress last summer "the microbe which causes infantile paralysis has been definitely isolated and experiments are being made to locate an antitoxin which effectively stamps out the disease among sheep and cattle. We hope to have perfected an effective antitoxin for human beings by summer."

The Chicago health authorities have enlisted prominent physicians, bacteriologists, nurses, civic organizations and women's clubs in a concerted effort to check the disease before it gets a start in Chicago again this year.

If you want to rent your house or a room in your house, place a For Rent ad in this paper.

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## SAYS HOT WATER WASHES POISONS FROM THE LIVER

Everyone should drink hot water with phosphate in it, before breakfast.

To feel as fine as the proverbial fiddle, we must keep the liver washed clean, almost every morning, to prevent its spilling the poisons from clogging with indigestible material, sour bile and poisonous toxins, says a noted physician.

If you get headaches, it's your liver. If you catch cold easily, it's your liver. If you wake up with a bad taste, furred tongue, nasty breath or stomach becomes rancid, it's your liver. Sallow skin, muddy complexion, watery eyes all denote liver uncleanness. Your liver is the most important, also the most abused and neglected organ of the body. Few know its function or how to release the dammed-up body waste, bile and toxins. Most folks resort to violent calomel, which is a dangerous, salivating chemical which can only be used occasionally because it accumulates in the tissues, also attacks the bones.

Every man and woman, sick or well, should drink each morning before breakfast a glass of hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it, to wash from the liver and bowels the previous day's indigestible material, the poisons, sour bile and toxins; thus cleansing, sweetening and freshening the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach.

Limestone phosphate does not restrict the diet like calomel, because it can not salivate. It is harmless and you can eat anything afterwards. It is inexpensive and almost tasteless, and your pharmacist will sell you a quarter pound, which is sufficient for a demonstration of how hot water and limestone phosphate cleans, stimulates and freshens the liver, keeping you feeling fit day in and day out.

## WHATCHAMA COLUM

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Next time we go to the middle west we're going to serve our inland friends that famous sea-going dish, steamed clams.

It's very simple. You corral a bevy of young hot-water bottles, steam thoroughly in a boiler put the boiler in a bushel basket set the basket in a baby carriage, wheel the whole into the dining room and serve.

That's all there is to it. We know. We ate a wagonload last night.

## MASTER IN CHANCERY SALE.

State of Illinois, Lee County, ss. In the Circuit Court of Lee County, Winslow C. Smith and Ella Smith, his wife, vs.

Mary E. Tumey and James F. Tumey, Bill for Partition. In Chancery. No. 3431.

Public Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court in and for the County of Lee and State of Illinois, made and entered on the 14th day of February, A. D. 1917, in a certain cause therein pending wherein Winslow C. Smith and Ella Smith, his wife, are complainants and Mary E. Tumey and James F. Tumey are defendants: Partition. No. 3431, I, the undersigned Master in Chancery of said Court, will on Saturday, the 24th day of March, A. D. 1917, at the hour of 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon, at the North door of the County Court House in the City of Dixon, in the County of Lee and State of Illinois, sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder on the terms hereinafter specified the following described premises, to-wit:

Lot Twelve (12) in Block Five (5) in Wyman's Addition to the Town, now City, of Amboy, situated in the City of Amboy in the County of Lee and State of Illinois.

Terms of Sale: Ten per cent, cash on day of sale, and the balance of purchase price upon the approval and confirmation of Master's report of sale and delivery of Master's Deed to the purchaser or purchasers.

Dated at Dixon, Illinois, February 21st, 1917.

MARK C. KELLER,

Master in Chancery.

LLOYD PAINTER,

Solicitor for Complainants.

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## SPECIAL ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

Special Warrant under Local Improvement Ordinance No. 180, Supplemental, Series of 1916.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the County Court of Lee County, Illinois, has rendered judgment for special assessment upon the property benefited by the following improvement: the construction of vitrified tile pipe sewer, with manholes and house connection laterals in Ottawa and Inlet Avenues, in the City of Dixon, Illinois, as will more fully appear from a certified copy of said judgment now on file in my office and that a warrant for the collection of such assessment is in the hands of the undersigned.

Said assessment is payable in one (1) installment, for the amount of \$132.48 due January 2nd, 1918. Said installment bears interest at the rate of 5% per annum, from October 10th, 1916.

All persons interested are hereby notified to call and pay the amount assessed against the premises represented by them in the assessment roll which has been heretofore confirmed in the County Court at the Collector's Office in the City Hall in the City of Dixon within thirty days from and after the date hereof, if they desire to stop interest on their said assessment.

Dated this 6th day of March, A. D. 1917.

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B. A. Worley, blacksmith, Peoria Ave., Dixon, says: "The action of my kidneys was irregular and annoying and my back ached. After using Doan's Kidney Pills, the pains left my back and my kidneys became regular in action." Over two years later, Mr. Worley said: "Whenever my back gets lame and sore and I need a kidney medicine, I give me Doan's Kidney Pills. They give me relief." Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Worley has twice recommended. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

## TAX NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that at a tax sale held at Dixon, in Lee County, Illinois, on the 14th day of June, A. D. 1915 for taxes of the year A. D. 1914, J. N. Sterling purchased the following described real estate, to-wit: The West twenty (20) feet of the North Seventy-six (76) feet of Lot Number Seventeen (17) of Assessor's Plat Number Four (4) New Series situated in Section Thirty-three (33), Town 22 North, Range 9 East of the 4th P. M., taxed in the name of Mabel Shaw, and that time of redemption from said sale will expire on June 14, A. D. 1917.

21 28 7 J. N. STERLING.

## BY MAIL.

The Evening Telegraph, the Chicago Tribune and the Orange Judd Farmer, all one year by mail for \$5.50.

## TIME TABLE

### ILLINOIS CENTRAL RY.

Correct time of all trains leaving Dixon that carry passengers and freight. Daily, except Sunday, South Bound.

North Bound.	
32 Ft. Dodge Exp.*	9:53 a. m.
24 Local Mail	5:35 p. m.
20 Local Exp.	8:40 p. m.
Freepoint Freight	12:30 p. m.
CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN RY.	
Correct time of all passenger trains leaving Dixon. *Daily except where otherwise specified:	
East Bound to Chicago.	
No. Lv. Dixon	Ar. Chicago
6 6:41 a. m.	9:15 a. m.
8 6:28 a. m.	6:45 a. m.
8 7:21 a. m. dly ex Sun	10:30 a. m.
8 8:05 a. m.	11:00 a. m.
9 11:21 a. m.	2:00 p. m.
9 11:01 a. m. dly ex Sun	2:25 p. m.
9 4:21 p. m. dly ex Sun	7:32 p. m.
9 4:15 p. m. Sun only	7:25 p. m.
9 6:10 p. m.	8:40 p. m.



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 Genuine Red Kidney Beans, can—12½c Choice full cream Cheese, lb.—30c  
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Combination Sale at Ben Baus' Feed Barn, Saturday, March 10, at 1 o'clock. Horses, cattle, hogs, a few fresh cows; buggies, harness, farm machinery. List early with clerk, Geo. Fruin, Auct. Clifford Gray, Clerk. 535

**CATTLE SALE.**  
 Sale of registered Angus cattle, both sexes, at Smith Sale Barn in Polo, March 15th. Send for catalogue and dinner ticket. 516 HOWARD IRVIN & SON.

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**Fixing the Clock.**  
 If your clock gets out of order, try lubricating the works by the fumes from a piece of wadding soaked in paraffin. Set the wadding inside the case under the works; unless the fumes are actually out of order the fumes will act on the machinery. It is quite a simple but a tried remedy.

**Political Announcements**

**ANNOUNCEMENT.**  
 I wish to announce myself as a candidate for the office of Commissioner of Highways at the election April 3rd. 40tf HENRY HINTZ.

**ANNOUNCEMENT.**  
 I wish to announce myself as a candidate for the office of Commissioner of Highways of Dixon township subject to the will of the voters at the township election April 3rd. 52tf TRYON ROSBROOK.

**ANNOUNCEMENT.**  
 I wish to announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of Assistant Supervisor of Dixon township, subject to the will of the voters at the township election April 3rd. 52tf J. M. McCLEARY.

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**BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**  
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pay one-half the cost of a bridge in Dixon township, just as the county pays one-half the cost of bridges all over the county every session. Dixon would not only pay for her half of the bridge, but she would be paying a good share of the county's half in her county.

Supervisors Banks and Bauer lead the "filibuster" on the city's plea for the loan of the county engineer. They said they thought it might look as though the county were taking the initiative if such action were taken, and therefore they wanted the motion to allow such a favor to the city of Dixon to be laid on the table until the next meeting. Whereupon the motion was laid on the table, until the June meeting.

Before adjourning the county board voted unanimously to allow county aid on bridges in two townships of the county.

**Thanks to Sterling.**  
 This being the last meeting of the present board, on motion of Supervisor Morris Cook of Alto, a rising vote of thanks, in which every member participated, was given Chairman J. M. Sterling of Dixon for the "countenances and impartial" manner in which he presided over the body. Mr. Sterling thanked the members for their expression of appreciation.

Several new faces will doubtless be seen on the new board, which convenes in June. Among the members who have announced that this is their last term are E. J. Mannion of Harmon and Morris L. Cook of Alto.

Every indication is that the body will complete its work this afternoon and adjourn sine die.

**SIGNS POINT TO EXTRA SESSION**  
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ability of war and that congress should be in position to act and not be thwarted by "honest but misguided peace-at-any-price men."

Washington, Mar. 7.—A practical agreement has been reached on a modified cloture proposal. The members of the committee will recommend to both Republican and Democratic caucuses the adoption of a resolution which would allow a two-thirds vote of the senate to impose a limitation on debate. Sixteen senators could inaugurate a motion to limit debate.

Washington, Mar. 7.—The calling of an extraordinary session of the Sixty-fifth congress looms up as a possible solution of the difficult problem confronting President Wilson in his efforts to arm American merchant ships and protect American rights at sea in the face of the German submarine campaign. With the executive power of the President to arm ships still in question the administration was encouraged by definite steps taken in the senate toward a limitation of senate debate which would clear the way for immediate action in an extra session on the armed neutrality bill which failed in the closing hours of the last congress. In his denunciation of senators who blocked the bill, the President made it clear that the lack of limit on senate debate was the reason which prevented the calling of an extra session to give him the power he deemed necessary. He then said clearly that congress and the country favored vesting him with the desired authority.

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**President Fails to Reveal Advice.**  
 An expected statement as to the exact extent of the powers of the President under the constitution to arm merchant ships is withheld while the administration watches closely the efforts of the senate to overthrow the traditions of a century, and impose some form of cloture on the upper house of congress. President Wilson called off a cabinet meeting which was expected to say the final word on his authority to arm ships although an opinion on the subject had been prepared by Attorney General Gregory. The White House said that no announcement was forthcoming on the subject.

**Cloture Seems Probable.**  
 Meantime the cloture fight had made great strides. A conviction that a fight to change the senate rules was doomed to defeat changed to an apparent feeling that action in that direction was extremely probable. Both Republicans and Democrats of the senate met in caucus and discussed the cloture question. Each caucus named a committee to take up the subject and their members joined in a bi-partisan discussion of the international crisis which confronts the country and its relation to the senate rules.

"I think we will get somewhere," said one member of the committee after the conference. "The discussion was entire informal but conditions look favorable."

**Majority of Both Parties Favor It.**  
 Senators James, Owen, Reed, Hoke Smith and Swanson, Democrats, and Senators Lodge, Borah, Penrose, Cummins and Brandegee, Republicans, formed the joint committee. After the discussion in both party caucuses it was stated that a clear majority of the Democrats favored cloture and that a substantial minority of the Republicans led by Senator Lodge would support a modified cloture proposal.

**Deny They Filibustered.**  
 The fight over armed neutrality began as soon as the senate met. Senators who had been denominated by President Wilson as "a little group of wilful men," who had "made the great government of the United States helpless and contemptible," began their defense. Senator Kenyon of Iowa in a voice that shook with passion arose to "brand as false the statement of any one who says I filibustered against the bill."

"The plan seems to be," he said, "to include in the filibuster all who refused to sign a paper supporting the bill. I did not talk one minute against the measure. I would have voted for it in its final form, trusting to the President not to arm munition ships. The statement that I attempted to block a vote on the bill is unqualifiedly false."

Senator Vandaman of Mississippi disavowed any intention of filibustering, declaring he had used only sixteen minutes of the senate's time on the bill.

A complete endorsement of the President's attack on the filibuster was voiced by Senator Williams of Mississippi, who declared that the filibuster had "made the country contemptible before the world in a great crisis." He pointed out in reply to Vandaman that Senator La Follette, who led the filibuster, didn't talk at all.

**Sister of Pope Pius X. Dies.**  
 Rome, Mar. 7.—Mrs. Rosa Parolin, a sister of the late Pope Pius X., died here.

Philadelphia Ledger: Tens of thousands of men in Europe, who have been pauperized by the war, are not thinking of wealth or its evidences. They will feel that fate has been abundantly kind if it gives them an opportunity, under the flags of freedom, to start life anew and win their way to the front. But in lorious America, where peace reigns and opportunities are as plentiful as the stars, industrial slackers bemoan their lot and whine because they cannot wine, for sooth. Courage! What more does a man need in America?

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 3 lb. cans Hominy.....10c  
 3 lb. cans Sweet Potatoes.....13c  
 2 lb. cans Corn or Peas.....12c  
 Imported Oil Sardines.....15c  
 Mustard Sardines, large can.....13c  
 Pound tall cans good Salmon.....15c  
 Gallon cans Fancy Apples.....30c  
 Gallon cans Fancy Rhubarb.....30c  
 2 lb. cans Red Raspberries.....15c  
 2 lb. cans Red Beans.....10c  
 2 lbs. fancy Sweet Prunes.....25c  
 A fine C. & S. Coffee, lb.....25c  
 A grand Japan Tea, lb.....50c  
 Quart bottles Cider Vinegar.....10c  
 2 lbs. fancy Evaporated Peaches.....25c  
 Booth's oval cans Cal. Sardines.....20c  
 Quart jar Fancy Olives.....30c  
 Quart Bulk Olives.....25c  
 Dozen Sour Pickles.....10c  
 Bulk Fancy Sauerkraut, qt.....15c  
 Carrots, peck.....35c  
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